

Sedalia's Armory is Dedicated

Brig. Gen. Gambrel, Col. McCauley, Lt. E. E. Green Speak; A. H. Wilks Presides

The Sedalia Armory, Ninth street and Ohio avenue, was formally dedicated Sunday afternoon with appropriate services in the huge auditorium of the building. More than 1,000 Sedalians were seated in the hall and heard Brig. Gen. Harry M. Gambrel, commanding officer of the 1st Infantry Brigade, Kansas City, and Colonel Jerome McCauley, commanding officer of the Sedalia Army Air Field, give the principal talks of the afternoon.

General Gambrel, in his address stressed the duties and importance of the State Guards. He explained that the United States government has called upon each state to furnish "security troops," and that each state is furnishing the manpower, the government furnishing all necessary equipment.

He also stated, "It is the duty of every citizen to take part in the State Guard. Age, or some defect which might keep you out of the army, navy or marines, does not mean you cannot participate in the guard." He also called attention to the membership of the Sedalia company, and asked that more cooperation be shown the guard in Sedalia and that manpower be furnished to fill the ranks.

C. O. of SAAF Speaks
Col. McCauley spoke in behalf of the United States army. He pointed out the great benefits the State Guard has in pre-training of younger men who have not yet been called to duty, and of the benefits it has for those who cannot qualify for army service because of age, or some minor defects.

"Sedalia is most fortunate in having such a wonderful building as this armory," Colonel McCauley said. "It is a building that can be used for civic purposes as well as for training purposes," he said.

Lt. Green Speaks
First Lieutenant Ellsworth Green, secretary of the Sedalia Chamber of Commerce, on leave of absence, who was also present, spoke briefly.

Lt. Green was very happy to be in Sedalia on this occasion because he had taken a personal interest in obtaining an armory in Sedalia, and as secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, had worked for the bond issue which made it possible.

Lt. Green also took occasion to mention the Sedalia airport, complimenting the city council for its progressiveness, first in purchasing the land for the ground, and later for planning to improve it, and permit its use for a flying school. Every city, Lieut. Green said, that expects to progress must have an airport, and Sedalia, with its central location in the nation must not be found lagging.

The Program
The program was opened with the Advance of the Colors by the State Guardsmen, after which the National Anthem was played.

Rev. Clyde S. Sherman, pastor of the First Christian church, gave the invocation, which was followed by a band selection by the Sedalia Army Air Field band.

Mayor A. H. Wilks, acting as master of ceremonies, gave the address of welcome and introduced visiting and honored guests.

Major Eugene Hansman, of the regimental staff, gave a history of the armory. Major Hansman told of the first movements made by the citizens of Sedalia in going forward to obtain the armory, of the bond election and the erection of the fine building.

General Gambrel was introduced by Colonel Kyle T. Graham, assistant to the adjutant general, Jefferson City.

Seated on Stage
Those on the stage other than those already mentioned were: Lt. Col. John A. Harris, public relations officer of the state guard, Jefferson City; Major Vance Julian, of the Second Battalion, Clinton; Colonel Fisk, and Major Price, both of Kansas City, Third Regiment; Julian H. Bagby, former mayor of Sedalia, under whose administration the project was started; Judge Dimmitt Hoffman, of the circuit court; Judge J. V. Kesterson, Pettis county court; I. H. Reed, president of the Chamber of Commerce, Mrs. Elza P. Berry and Mrs. R. Morley, of the D. A. R.

Participating in the ceremonies were: Company F, 2nd Bn, Sedalia; Company K, 1st Bn, Sedalia.

Contracting malaria, he was returned to the United States and now is mail officer at Camp Lejeune, N. C.

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Red Stone Christ Looks Down On Blood at War Milestone

By Daniel De Luce
APRILIA, Italy May 28.—(Delayed)—A red stone Christ looks down from Aprilia's ruined church tonight on fresh blood spilled at this ghastly milestone on the Allied road to Rome.

The dust and stench of cordite are drifting away from a crashing German bombardment, and Corp. William Sweeney of Liverpool, England, who fought at El Alamein in North Africa, has just carried a wounded Tommy out of the rubble.

Aprilia was in German hands

Recovering From Accident

Lewey "Junior" Hargrove, 17, 1408 South Montebau avenue, who received a severe injury to his left leg, in a car crash Sunday night, May 21, is getting along nicely at the Bothwell hospital. Other boys who were injured are also improving and have been released from the hospital.

Hargrove suffered a compound fracture of the left leg, just above the ankle, when the car he was driving struck a tree in the 1200 block on East Broadway.

George Luckey, 17, was dismissed from the hospital several days ago to go to his home, 611 West Third. Others who received treatment at the hospital and were released are Raymond Moon, 1015 East Seventh street, and William Wheeler, 1220 East Thirteenth street. Henry Lamm, 3000 South Ohio avenue, a passenger in the car was not injured.

The boys were riding in a car belonging to Kenneth Hicks, 1701 South Prospect avenue. It was explained by the boys that Hargrove had the car and they were picked up in front of the Smoke House to go for a ride.

According to information given police Hargrove, an employee at the Taystee Bakery, had been loaned the car by Hicks, also an employee there, to go and get some coffee and sandwiches. After delivering the sandwiches, Hargrove took the car, thinking it was all right with Hicks, because he had used it to go on the errand. Hargrove told officers he had intended buying it.

Hicks told police Hargrove drove off with the car without his permission.

Avenged Loss Of Flier Son

NEW YORK, May 29.—(P)—A Marine officer who disobeyed a commander to avenge the loss of his Marine flier son has been chosen as the "fighting father of the year" by the National Father's Day committee.

The award was made to Maj. Fred D. Condemner of New Bern, N. C., who entered the Marine corps after his son, Second Lieut. Robert J. Condemner, was killed in the Japanese attack on Wake Island Dec. 7, 1941.

"I'll take it on two conditions," he said on being offered a captain's commission. "I want to be sent to the Pacific war zone and do I get a rifle?"

Ordered to remain aboard ship when the Marines landed on Guadalcanal Aug. 7, 1942, Condemner nevertheless went ashore in one of the first landing craft.

A former North Carolina postal inspector, he was placed in charge of the Marine postoffice on Guadalcanal, but found time to take part in attacks upon the Japanese.

An Autopsy on Aged Woman's Battered Body

Funeral Home Instructed to Send Body to Boonville

DURHAM, N. C., May 29.—(P)—Solicitor W. H. Murdock said he would apply for a court order today to permit an autopsy on the body of an elderly woman recovered from Eastwood lake Saturday.

Police Chief H. E. King said he believed the nude and battered body that of Mrs. Edward M. Jewett, 67, wealthy Boonville, Mo., woman who has been missing since May 10.

Her grandson, Edward Jewett Martin, 24 year old Charlotte chemist, is being held on an indictment charging murder.

The body was weighted down with five 25-pound cinder blocks, leading police to express the possibility that more than one person may have been connected with the slaying. Officers theorized that one man could not have lifted the weight of the blocks and body to dump them from a boat nor have pushed it overboard without capsize the boat.

King said deterioration might make identification difficult.

Jury Views Body

A coroner's jury viewed the body and adjourned, and Coroner H. J. Walker of Orange county said the inquest would be ordered tomorrow or Wednesday.

A Durham funeral home meanwhile said it had been instructed by Mrs. R. Lewis Patton of Charlotte, daughter of Mrs. Jewett, to send the body to Boonville when authorities have finished their investigation.

Police reports said Martin drove Mrs. Jewett to Boonville and that they stopped at a hotel there May 8. She has not been seen since May 10. Martin was taken into custody subsequently and Chief King said bloodstained woman's personal effects were found in his possession.

Returns From Clinic
James S. Reed, 1009 South Osage avenue, who went to Rochester, Minn., to undergo an examination at the Mayo Clinic, has returned, feeling very much improved.

Hahn, a tailor, told Koenig he had been in an institution for mental cases for three years.

He explained his act by saying, "I just felt that way," adding he "didn't like something the archbishop said."

Archduke Otto of Austria and his brother, Felix, seated in the congregation, caused several rows back of Hahn.

Bothwell Hospital Notes
Forrest Taylor, LaMonte; Minter Ringen, 1616 West Twentieth street; Kenneth Hunt, 1405 West Third street; Mrs. Frederick Westfall and infant daughter, 229 South Montebau avenue; Mrs. W. H. Finley, 1227 South Stewart avenue; Mrs. Fred Umstead, Lincoln; Mrs. Glenn Layman, 410 South Washington avenue, dismissed.

Richard Goadler, 520 North Grand avenue, admitted for tonsillectomy.

Diana Young, 700 West Clay, admitted for removal of adenoids and dismissed today.

Mrs. Pauline Harrison, 909 West Fifth street, admitted for medical treatment.

Mass Celebrated in Calvary Cemetery Tuesday Morning
As has been the custom for the past few years the Catholics of the city will have a religious service at Calvary cemetery. Mass will be celebrated at the cemetery at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning, the members of St. Patrick's and Sacred Heart churches uniting in the services.



Col. A. M. Hitch

meeting of Rotary today at the Bothwell hotel. His term of office as district governor will begin July 1.

Col. Hitch has just returned

Fifth Army 17 Miles From Rome

Eighteen German Divisions Destroyed, More Than 15,000 Prisoners Taken

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS AT NAPLES, May 29.—(P)—American tanks have struck to the slopes of the Alban hills less than 16 miles from Rome's outskirts, and are attacking German mobile strongpoints of armor, artillery and infantry, a front dispatch said today.

By Sid Feder
ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, NAPLES, May 29.—(AP)—Fifth Army troops stormed toward four Rome-line strongholds against fierce resistance today, thrusting one wedge within 17 miles of the Eternal City.

Headquarters declared three of 18 German divisions engaged in battle had been virtually destroyed in the broad offensive launched May 11, with more than 15,000 prisoners taken.

Overwhelming Aprilia, once the bitterly-contested beachhead fortress, the Fifth punched north within a mile of Compolone—the closest penetration towards Rome. To the east the Fifth army advanced within 2,000 yards of Valmontone, on the shell-torn Via Casilina, despite flame throwing counterattacks.

Steady artillery fire was pumped onto the Via Casilina, main escape route for eight German divisions being forced back on the front to the southeast.

In between on the Compolone-Valmontone line, other forces fought in the outskirts of Velletri on the Appian Way, and closed upon Lanuvium, four miles southwest, where the Alban hills begin to rise from the Pontine plain.

"Despite several sharp German counterattacks, the Americans are advancing slowly in the direction of Rome," a battlefront dispatch from Associated Press correspondent Edward Kennedy declared.

Meanwhile the Eighth army in the Liri and Sacco valleys to the southeast pushed ahead, breaking down German rear guard stands.

As the sound of the great battle rolled into Rome, the enemy in the mountains southeast of Valmontone was driven out of the towns of Sermoneta and Bassiano, below Norma, which was overwhelmed yesterday. Snipers still were active in the hills beyond this area and Fifth army patrols were mopping them up.

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Mrs. E. W. Jones Hears of Son

Appearing in the Kansas City Star Sunday morning was an article which stated Mrs. Lucille Jones, widow of the late E. W. Jones, former Sedalia, now a resident of Kansas City, had heard of a broadcast from Japan in which the announcement said her son, Captain E. W. "Pug" Jones, a prisoner of the Japanese, was fine and had not changed in any way and had received a box and several letters from her.

Mrs. Jones, now residing at 605 East Seventy-second street, Kansas City, said she had received five cards from her son since his imprisonment. She had sent him a box containing necessities and \$30 worth of vitamin tablets and has written every week since his capture.

After hearing of the broadcast, she said, "I'll just keep writing and maybe some letters will get through."

Captain Jones was taken prisoner by the Japanese April 7, 1942, following the fall of Bataan.

China Enters Critical Period of War

Chinese Armies Fight Desperately On Four Fronts

By J. B. Krueger
Associated Press War Editor

China's armies fought desperately on four fronts today to thwart the most ambitious Japanese offensives in seven years of warring against the Chinese.

The Asiatic fighting overshadowed all other Pacific war fronts, including the progressing American invasion of the Schoutens, because it was the most ominous. Chungking authorities felt that China, beset in the north and east, may be entering its most critical period of the conflict.

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Bombers, Fighters Attack Factories In Poland, Germany

Lieutenant Colonel



James Edward Connor

HEADQUARTERS 13th AAF, South Pacific—James E. Connor, 36 years old, former director of public relations at St. Francis college, Joliet, Ill., and at New Mexico Highlands university, Las Vegas, New Mexico, has been advanced in grade in the South Pacific from major to lieutenant colonel.

On foreign duty for more than 25 months, Colonel Connor is a quartermaster officer and member of the staff of Brigadier General George McCoy, Jr., commanding the 13th AAF Service Command. The colonel is in charge of supplies for the 13th AAF troops and units serving throughout the vast South Pacific island-dotted theater.

The officer entered active service in November, 1940. He had received his commission upon the completion of reserve officers' training corps work at the University of Missouri, where he attained his Bachelor of Journalism and Master of Art degrees. He also studied at the University of Colorado.

Colonel Connor is an International Rotarian and belonged to the Association of University Professors and the Publicity Directors Association in Missouri.

Col. Connor is a son of Mrs. J. C. Connor, 414 East Seventh street and the late Judge Connor, and a nephew of Miss Mayne Shipley. He is a graduate of Smith-Cotton high school.

Observance of Memorial Day

Memorial day services will be held at Crown Hill and Memorial Park cemeteries, beginning at 10:30 o'clock Tuesday morning.

A parade will assemble in front of the Doughboy on Ohio avenue at nine to nine-thirty o'clock. At 9:25 a bugle will sound for the ceremony of placing a memorial wreath at the statue by two War Mothers, Mrs. John C. Whiteman and Mrs. W. E. Bennett, followed by one minute of silence.

In addition to the patriotic organizations mentioned in Sunday's Democrat the Disabled American Veterans will participate.

Radio Listeners Were Disappointed

NEW YORK, May 29.—(P)—A breathless woman broadcaster on the Berlin radio last night asked "ladies and gentlemen in America" to stand by for "sensational news."

The sensational announcement, said the broadcaster, reported by the National Broadcasting company, would follow the reading of the day's war news. That was done, there was more build-up, and the woman announcer proclaimed:

"And now, ladies and gentlemen, for the sensational news we have promised you. In just a few minutes you will hear a very talented Berlin artist play on a violin that was made in 1626."

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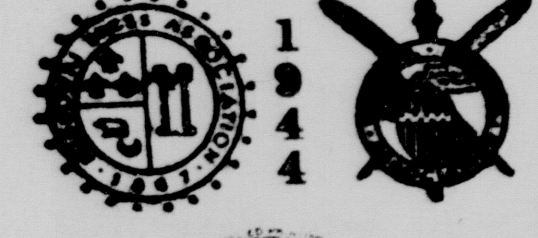
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rier in Sedalia: For 1 month, 65c.
6 months, \$3.75 in advance. For 12
months, \$7.20 in advance.

DAILY WASHINGTON merry-go-round

by Drew Pearson

WASHINGTON, May 20 — The
Kellements letters have brought the
entire question of censoring the
mail to a head in backstage con-
versations between government
agencies.

Actually, Chief Censor Byron
Price isn't at all enthusiastic about
opening people's mail, and recently
took a confidential vote of differ-
ent government bureaus to see
whether the system of intercepts
should be continued. Out of 21
agencies, the vote was 9 to 9 for
and against the continuance of in-
tercepts until the war with Ger-

many has been won; then only
against Japan. Three agencies
were noncommittal.

The intercept system means the
opening of all mail between the
United States and foreign coun-
tries, copying important portions
and routing about twenty different
copies to different agencies of the
government. Main purpose of this
system is to detect important in-
formation regarding the enemy or
to block information which might
help the enemy.

All mail between the United
States and a foreign country is
opened. Mail to neutral countries,
such as Portugal and Argentina is
studied with especial care because
those two countries are among the
chief pipelines for Nazi infor-
mation. Miss Vivien Kellements' let-
ters written to a Nazi agent in Ar-
gentina naturally were opened,
and copies were sent to the war
and navy departments, the FBI
and other agencies supposed to
watch Argentine Nazi affairs.

Economic Information
Although Censor Price has con-
curred with the army and navy
regarding the necessity of opening
foreign mail, he has hung back
regarding the necessity of opening
economic information to interested
agencies such as the foreign eco-
nomic administration. This eco-
nomic information is what the
British were criticized for picking
up during the last war, and which
some government insiders feel they
are doing again in this war.

For instance, the British began
preparing for censorship as early
as the 1930's, when Norman Elms-
ley, chief British censor expert in
Washington, began building up a
staff. Elmsley handled the same
job in the last war and now has
eight Britishers in the U. S. cen-
sorship office looking over the U.
S. intercepts.

Several times Leo Crowley's
Foreign Economic Administration has
pressed Price to let them put
trained economists in the British
censor's office to get information
on British cartels. But Price has
opposed this.

Meanwhile a lot of U. S. com-
panies doing business abroad find
ways and means of dodging cen-
sorship by sending reports home
via the "diplomatic pouch."

The censors themselves would
be delighted to get rid of the whole
thing. Meanwhile government ex-
perts interested in future U. S.
trade believe we should watch the
British information just as care-
fully as they watch ours.

As Worker to Worker
Secretary of the Navy Forrestal
and War Production expert Char-
lie Wilson were visiting the Dravo
company plant on the Ohio river
near Pittsburgh, in order to spur
production of landing barges.

A meeting of all kinds of work-
ers — men, women, Negroes, for-
eign-born, was called to listen to
the secretary of the navy and the
vice chairman of the WPB. First

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tis, Diaper Rash, Ringworm, Itch.
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George Grazier, son of Mr. and
Mrs. Sherman Grazier, who lives
at 1302 West 5th. George, belongs
to Boy Scout troop No. 161. His
hobby is archery and his favorite
sports are basketball and foot-
ball. George is moving away
from Sedalia this week and our
tribute to him is good luck and
scusses.

**Carrier Boys Today
Leaders Tomorrow**

- CARRIERS IN SEDALIA**
Bobby Dowdy
Jimmy Starke
Billy Frederickson
George McReynolds
Leonard McReynolds
Billy Lee Lovett
George Grazier
James Gorsett
Billy Wherry
Robert Barsch
Norman Logan
Arthur Spraggin
William Billy Hall
Merle Kettle
George Nold
Kenneth Neidholdt
Bill DeHaven
Buddy Thomas
Lester Harrell
Melvin Harrell
Darrell Bail
Larry Vilmer
Billy Holst
Billy Echard
Paul Curtis Hays
Bobby Barnes
Robert Shirley
Louis Barsch

CARRIERS OUTSIDE SEDALIA
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Crowley Knob Noster
Kathleen Keller Clarksburg
Billy Layne Bunceton
Dennis Appleton Climax Springs
Charles Hibbs Clinton
Leland Kerkisick Cole Camp
Bill Harrison Fortuna
Charles Fulk Latham
Billy Nelson Nelson
F. J. Kraxberger Stover
Blake Cable, Jr. Versailles
Russell Dietzel California
Robert Lange Concordia
James Dierking Emma
Truman Kirschner Green Ridge
John K. Smith Houston
Harold Conway Hughesville
George Guthrie LaMonte
Eddie Drago Lincoln
Billy Schill Otterville
Gene Plummer Sweet Springs
J. E. Poe Syracuse
Monte Jewell Brant Tipton
Vaughn Dean Bailey Warsaw
John Van Hoozer Windsor
Elbert Hudson Smithton

CIRCULATION DEPARTMENT
Sedalia Democrat-Capital

Just Town Talk

RECENTLY THE
PROSECUTING ATTORNEY
AN OUT OF TOWN
OFFICER AND SOME
OTHER FOLKS
WERE BUSY IN
THE FORMER'S Office
IN THE COURT HOUSE
WORKING ON SOME
EVIDENCE
FIVE O'CLOCK CAME
AND WENT
AND THEY WERE
STILL BUSY
ALONG ABOUT
SIX-THIRTY
THEY LEFT THE
OFFICE
WALKED TO THE
FIRST FLOOR
OF THE COURT HOUSE
ONLY TO FIND
THE OUTER DOOR
LOCKED
THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY
DIDN'T HAVE HIS
KEYS WITH HIM
HE COULDN'T GET
BACK IN HIS

OFFICE
TO TELEPHONE
BECAUSE HE HAD
SLAMMED AND LOCKED
THAT DOOR
AND THERE THEY
ALL WERE
LOCKED IN THE
BUILDING
THEY THOUGHT
OF THE PAY
TELEPHONE
WHICH THEY COULD
USE TO ASK SOME ONE
TO BRING KEYS
AND OPEN THE DOOR
THEN CAME THE
QUESTION OF A
NICKEL FOR THE PHONE
AND AFTER
A SEARCH THROUGH
ALL POCKETS
SOMEONE FINALLY
FOUND A NICKEL
AND AFTER SO LONG
A TIME
THEY WERE ALL
RELEASED
I THANK YOU.

all the county and city offices
were closed today.

Major and Mrs. William Beck
returned from a delightful visit of
a week in St. Louis.

P. Dohel has purchased from
Bailey and Smith the property east
of his business at Third street and
Engineer avenue.

Walter Gibbons, manager of the
Western Union office at Fort Scott,
Kas., formerly with the local West-
ern Union office, will return there
tonight following a two days' visit
here.

Yanks Play Double or Nothing

Cards Split, Mort
Cooper Showing
Form in Opener

By Ted Meier
Associated Press Sports Writer

It seems to be double or nothing
for the world champion New York
Yankees.

Manager Joe McCarthy's Bronx
Bombers have played four twin
bills this season and have swept
all of them. Their latest double
success came yesterday at St.
Louis where they whipped the
Browns twice, 6 to 3 in 11 innings
and 6 to 2, to take a three-game
lead in the American circuit.

An Eleventh Inning Homer
Denny Galehouse, making his
first start of the season as a week-
end Brown pitcher, stayed on even
terms with Hank Borowy for 10
innings in the opener, but John-
ny Lindell's homer started a four-
run Yank uprising in the 11th.
Rookie Joe Page outpitched Jack
Kramer in the nightcap.

The St. Louis Cards, National
league leaders, gained only a split
with the Giants when newly mar-
ried Bill Voiselle hurled a three-
hitter for the New Yorkers to take
the nightcap, 3 to 1. In the open-
er big Mort Cooper also twirled
a three-hitter and fanned ten to
blank the Ottmen, 8-0.

Jim Tobin and Al Javery of the
Boston Braves, put an abrupt end
to the seven-run winning streak
of the Chicago Cubs. Their pitch-
ing coupled with Butch Nieman's
two homers and a triple, gave the
Braves both ends of a twin bill,
7 to 3 and 7 to 4.

Six Straight for Red Sox
The Boston Red Sox made it six
straight over the Chicago White
Sox by pasting the Dykemen twice
6 to 4 and 4 to 2, hitting opportu-
nely behind bases on balls and
Chicago misplays.

Brooklyn delighted a turnout of
28,061 at Ebbets Field by beating
Cincinnati twice, 8 to 7 and 3 to 2.
Augie Galan's eighth inning single
won the opener. A one-baser by
Rookie Eddie Basinski with the
bases full shattered a 1-1 dead-
lock in the nightcap.

Detroit managed to win its third
of 16 home starts by pounding out
a 15 to 2 triumph over Washington
in the second game after the Sen-
ators won the opener, 4 to 2, be-
hind Johnny Niggeling's effective
pitching. A first inning homer by
Jimmy Outlaw with the bases
loaded started the Tigers to an
easy conquest in the afterpiece.

Rip Sewell pitched and batted
Pittsburgh to a 4-0 victory over
the Phillies, but Freddy Fitzsim-
mons' men turned on Nick Strin-
evich to grab the nightcap, 8 to 2,
for a split. Sewell tripled one
run home to back up his six-hit
twirling.

Cleveland and the Philadelphia
Athletics also divided a double-
header. Jesse Flores was effec-
tive in the pinches to take the
opener for the A's, 4 to 3. The
Tribe took the second, 5 to 3, be-
hind Rookie Pitcher Paul Calvert.

Looking Backward Forty Years Ago

The Rev. S. S. Martin delivered
the annual memorial sermon Sun-
day forenoon to members of the
George R. Smith post No. 53, GAR,
at the First M. E. church and also
to the WRC, there being a large
attendance. This afternoon the
annual memorial services will be
held at the cemetery participated
in by the GAR and WRC. The
Rev. J. Allen Van Wagner will be
orator of the day.

Until further notice the Grand
avenue electric street car will
leave Main street at half past each
hour and run to the State Fair
grounds, leaving the grounds on
the hour.

In observance of Memorial Day

Quote, Unquote
Casey Stengel: "The first few
days in Milwaukee everybody gave
me that limp hot poker grip and
raised hell about Charley Grimm's
departure. But after we won ten
in a row they began asking just
once in a while: 'I wonder what
ever happened to old Charley,
anyway?'"

Monday Matinee
Swede Hagberg, navy grid coach
hasn't seen a football game in a
year. . . . Did you know that Fred
Merkle's famous "boner" not only
cost the Giants the 1908 pennant,
but it also cost Christy Mathewson
his only undisputed National
league pitching championship? . . .
Ed Reulbach won it that year with
24 victories and 7 losses. . . . If the
Giants and Matty had won that
game, Mathewson's record would
have been 38 won, 10 lost for a
.792 average to Reulbach's .774.

Service Dept.
Brig. Gen. Dean C. Strother,
commander of the fighter wing
operating in Italy with the Fif-
teenth air force, was a basket-
ball star at West Point in the
early 1930's.

**Sewing Machine
Demonstration**
The Ionia Homemakers spent a
pleasant and profitable day at the
Ionia Community Hall Tuesday
when Miss Dorothy Bacon, home
demonstration agent, held a sew-
ing machine clinic. Each member
worked on her own machine, tak-
ing it apart and cleaning the
pieces in Stoddard's Solvent.
Machines were reassembled, oil-
ed well, and adjusted. Twelve
machines were renovated. At the
noon hour a contributed luncheon
was served cafeteria style.
Following the meal a short busi-
ness session was held with the
president, Mrs. Ed Crenshaw, pre-
siding. Members answered roll
call by telling of the care and cul-
ture of some flower. The song
leader, Mrs. S. B. Miller, led in
the singing of the club song, "America,
the Beautiful," followed by prayer
by Mrs. Brandon.
Miss Bacon gave instructions on
the regulating and the feeding of
sewing machines, the use of oil
and the governing of the tension.
Mrs. Elmer Schultz will be host-
ess to the June meeting of the
club.

George Grazier
His route has been the streets
of West Fifth, Sixth and Broad-
way, from Ohio to Quincy.

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rubber heels. \$3.98 a pair
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Tomorrow it Encircles the World

Take Away The Lady

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THE DOUBLE-CROSS
XXVI
COURTIGHT found Captain
Azaraski sitting in one of the
cars, where they had agreed to
meet. She approached and asked,
"Who is that with you?"
"Our associate," explained Aza-
raski. "Pilot Officer Roger Bal-
dwin."

The shadowy figure of Baldwin
remained dark and unstriking in
the car. But his voice was low and
polite as he said, "Good evening,
Courtright."

"You gave me a start," Court-
right told him. "We expected you
to stay in Yokohama."

"I thought you might need me
here, perhaps," Baldwin said. "So
I came out."

Courtright was not fooled. She
knew Baldwin was watching out
for his interests. He was sticking
close to see that no one cut him
out of his share of the booty. He
was wise to do so, too.

Truly, Courtright thought, I am
a defeated old idealist in a preda-
tory world, among predatory asso-
ciates, and being predatory my-
self.

"Be sure and keep out of sight,
Baldwin," she said in warning.
"Link knows you by sight, natu-
rally."

"I will, to be sure," Baldwin
said. "Although I don't imagine it
would do any harm if Link saw
me. Or even if he knew I had been
placed in his cell weeks ago to
make sure he was one of the crew
of Kipman Greer's bomber. That
part of our plot is past."

BALDWIN was a Rumanian. He
pretended to be an Australian,
but he had been born in Bucharest,
the illegitimate offspring of a ras-
cal Englishman and a Rumanian

intelligence identified the body of
Kipman James Greer when it was
found. Our card index files at once
suggested a connection with the
contents of the vaults of the Greer
bank in Singapore. We knew those
assets had not been shipped out of
Singapore. So they had been con-
cealed. We did not know where. I
had nothing to do with any of that.
How could anybody be suspicious
of me?"

"Go on," Baldwin said. "It could
be later we made a slip."

"The crew of Link's bomber
were captured. By various means,
we collected the information that
Kip Greer had given a flyer a
message for Norma Greer. We
even got a general idea of the
message. Something about a storm
and a cyclone cell."

That, thought Tilda Courtright,
would surprise Link. He doesn't
suspect the Japanese have almost
the exact text of the message.

Azaraski continued, still angry.
"We had the message. We had
Norma Greer, who could decode
it, but naturally wouldn't. We had
a flyer, but we weren't sure he was
the one Kip Greer gave the mes-
sage to. We knew the flyer we
wanted was an osteopath. We put
you in the cell, Baldwin, to learn
if Link was the flyer. You found
he was. All of this was done with
the knowledge of army intelli-
gence. They ordered it. They
would not have ordered it if they
suspected me."

"What about Courtright?" asked
Baldwin. "Anything suspicious
there?"

"How could there be?" Azaraski
demanded. "Our army intelligence
knew that she was a friend of the
Greer family, and it was their idea
to use her, not mine nor yours.
The plan was to get Norma and
Link and Courtright together in a
pleasant group in the country, then
Link would naturally tell Norma
the message and Courtright would
be around to overhear. That was
all there was to it."

Baldwin muttered, "They may
suspect the three of us are going
to double-cross them."

"Or they may find it out," Court-
right said.

(To Be Continued)

**Sunday Major
League Scores**
By The Associated Press
National League
Boston 7-7, Chicago 3-4.
St. Louis 8-1, New York 0-3.
Brooklyn 8-3, Cincinnati 7-2.
Pittsburgh 4-2, Philadelphia 0-3.
American League
Philadelphia 4-3, Cleveland 3-5.
Washington 4-2, Detroit 2-15.

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Political Announcements

B. B. BETTIS
Republican Candidate for
SHERIFF
Subject to Democratic Primary
Tuesday, August 1, 1944

MIKE J. DONAHOE
Democratic Candidate for
SHERIFF
Subject to the action of the
Democratic Primary.
Tuesday, August 1, 1944.

W. J. DUNKIN
Republican Candidate for
SHERIFF
Subject to Republican Primary
Tuesday, August 1, 1944.

E. W. (ED) GOETZ
Republican Candidate for
SHERIFF
Subject to Republican Primary
Tuesday, August 1, 1944

COL. G. B. BROWN
Republican Candidate for
REPRESENTATIVE
in Missouri's Legislature
Subject to Republican Primary
Tuesday, August 1, 1944.

C. R. BOTHWELL
Republican Candidate for
COUNTY COLLECTOR
Subject to Republican Primary.
Tuesday, August 1, 1944

HAZEL PALMER
Republican Candidate for
COUNTY COLLECTOR
Subject to Republican Primary.
Tuesday, August 1, 1944

ARCHIE A. SMITH
Republican Candidate for
SHERIFF
Subject to Republican Primary
Tuesday, August 1, 1944

Sedalia Banks Closing Notice
The banks of Sedalia will close
at noon Monday, May 29th and re-
main closed until Wednesday mor-
ning May 31st, in observance of
Memorial day.

Sedalia Clearing
House Association.

**FORREST "PONNIE"
POINDEXTER**
Democratic Candidate For
SHERIFF
Subject to Democratic Primary.
TUESDAY, AUGUST 1, 1944

EDWARD CALLIS
Republican Candidate for
**JUDGE COUNTY COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT**
Subject to Republican Primary
Tuesday, August 1, 1944

WILMER STEEPLES
Republican Candidate for
COUNTY COLLECTOR
Subject to Republican Primary
Primary
Tuesday, August 1, 1944.

GEO. M. LANE
Republican Candidate for
**JUDGE COUNTY COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT**
Subject to Republican Primary
Tuesday, August 1, 1944.

W. J. "BILL" PAUL
Democratic Candidate for
SHERIFF
Subject to Democratic Primary.
Tuesday, August 1, 1944

MILTON J. SMITH
Democratic Candidate for
COUNTY COLLECTOR
Subject to Democratic Primary
Tuesday, August 1, 1944.

Activities on the Farm Front

Good Health Is Group Hospital Plan Objective

Pettis County Farm Bureau Mindful Of Wartime Importance

Good health is essential at all times and doubly important now because of war activities. The Pettis County Farm Bureau is mindful of the protection of one's health in the sponsorship of the Blue Cross Group Hospital Service.

One hundred forty-eight Farm Bureau members have availed themselves of Group Hospital Service. Many of these members have had this service for four years. Since September, 1942, Pettis County Group Hospital Service members have received 149 days of hospital care.

Group Hospital Service members receive many services. These services include: 30 days hospital care each year for each member; provides for a two-bed room; private room at extra charge, if available; meals, special diets, and general nursing; maternity care after 10 months membership; routine laboratory service; all drugs, medicines, and biologicals; all glucose, oxygen, and serum, except blood and blood plasma; all dressings and casts, except patented braces; use of operating room as often as needed; ambulance service which is restricted to highway accidents and hospital transfer up to 30 miles; and care in non-member hospital in case of accident.

Reduced Hospital Fees

Special benefits include one-

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PUBLIC SALE!

As I am quitting the farm, I will sell at public auction at my farm, known as the old Boone Farm, located 4 miles south on Waterworks road on

WEDNESDAY, MAY 31 - 1:00 P. M.

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| CATTLE
1 Brown Jersey, 6 yrs., calf by side
1 Yellow Jersey, 4 yrs., calf by side
1 Brown Jersey, 3 yrs., fresh in Oct.
1 Gray Jersey, 4 yrs., fresh day of sale
1 Brown Jersey, 4 yrs., calf by side
1 Black Holstein, 4 yrs., calf by side
1 Black Angus, 3 yrs., calf by side
1 Red Shorthorn, 2 yrs., calf by side
1 Red cow, 2 yrs., calf by side
1 Red and Whiteface, 2 yrs., calf by side
These cows are extra good milkers.
1 Roan heifer, 2 yrs., fresh in July
1 Holstein heifer, 2 yrs., fresh in Oct.
1 Holstein heifer, 18 months, pasture bred
1 Red and Whiteface heifer yearling
1 Jersey heifer, 6 months | HOGS
1 Good team of work horses
1 Poland China sow, farrow in June
1 Hampshire sow, farrow in July
25 Head of shoats, weight about 100 lbs.
CHICKENS
40 Brown Leghorn hens, 1 year old, laying.
MISCELLANEOUS
1 Good set leather work harness
1 55-gallon oil barrel, like new
1 Royal Blue cream separator
1 26-gallon milk cans like new
1 Pitchfork
1 Lawnmower
1 Garden plow
1 14 cutter disc
1 14-inch walking plow |
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Lawson Clinean—Auctioneer
Frank Colburn—Clerk

Good Health Is Essential

Join Blue Cross Group Hospitalization Service through

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All persons in good health regardless of age who are Farm Bureau members are eligible for membership.

No red tape or medical examination necessary

ANNUAL COST

Individual member \$ 9.00
Individual member plus one dependent 15.00
ENTIRE FAMILY 18.00

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30 days care each year, two-bed room, meals, special diets, general nursing, maternity care after 10 months membership, routine laboratory, all drugs, medicines, and biologicals, all glucose, oxygen, and serum except blood and blood plasma, all dressings and casts, operating room—no limit, and ambulance service in case of accident up to 30 miles.

77 Affiliated Missouri Hospitals
148 Farm Bureau members enrolled
Enroll Now—Farm Bureau 410½ So. Ohio St.—Sedalia, Mo.

HOMES FOR SALE

- | | |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------|
| 7-Room Brick Bungalow. West side corner lot, full basement. Completely modern | \$4,000 |
| 5-Rooms, hardwood floors. East front. Completely modern South Clark avenue | \$4,000 |
| Duplex 2—6-room apartments. West side | \$4,750 |
| 1207 W. 5th St. (vacant). 7 rooms modern. Steam heat Attached garage. | |
| Duplex, close in, 2—5-room apartments | \$5,250 |
| Three nice properties on West Broadway. | |
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Reported By Agriculture Extension Service

Next Week in the Garden

Set Tomatoes Now

Tomatoes are one vegetable which should be in every garden. The food value of tomatoes is excellent. They are also a valuable source of vitamin C.

Tomatoes will produce a large quantity of food on a small area. Therefore, the victory gardener

third off semi-private room rate in a general hospital for subscribers and sponsored members for an additional six months. The cost of these many services is very small compared to the service rendered. The annual fee for an individual member is \$9.00 per year; individual member plus 1 dependent is \$15.00; for the entire family which includes the husband, wife, and all children under 18 years of age, \$18.00. For new members there is an enrollment fee of \$1.00. This enrollment fee is not an annual charge.

All persons in good health, regardless of age, who are Farm Bureau members or who become Farm Bureau members are eligible to participate in the Farm Bureau Group Hospital Service. No medical examination is necessary, and the members may choose their own physicians and hospital from the group of affiliated hospitals.

77 Affiliated Hospitals

There are 77 Missouri hospitals affiliated with Blue Cross Hospital Service. The affiliated hospitals in this area include: Bothwell Memorial Hospital, Sedalia; John Fitzgibbon Memorial Hospital, Marshall; Warrensburg Clinic, Warrensburg; St. Joseph's Hospital, Booneville; and Boone County and University Hospitals, Columbia.

The anniversary date for the Pettis County Group Hospital Service is June 15. If there are 25 or more applications in a group added at the anniversary or quarter dates, actual hospital service begins for the new group on the anniversary or quarter date received. However, if less than 25 are received, all wait until the following quarter date for service.

Further information in regard to Group Hospital Service and applications for memberships can be secured at the Pettis County Farm Bureau office, 410½ South Ohio Street.

who has only a few square feet of planting space should have tomatoes, as well as the farmer who is producing the total supply of vegetables for his family for the year.

It is desirable to use young plants not over 6 inches tall. Plants of this size suffer less shock in transplanting than do larger plants. It is best to remove the plants from the plant bed leaving as much dirt on the roots as possible. They should then be transplanted into the garden in as short a time as possible to keep the roots from drying out. A plant thus handled may be transplanted without wilting or receiving a setback in growth.

Do Not Work Wet Soil

The season is late and gardeners are justly impatient to get their vegetables planted. It is important that they be put in the ground as soon as possible in order that they may take advantage of all of the good growing weather.

Despite the urgency for making plantings at the earliest possible time, the grower should be careful not to work the soil while wet. Spading or plowing should be delayed until it is dry enough to work without packing.

A simple test is to pick up a handful of soil, squeeze it in the hand and then break it apart with the fingers. If it clings together, it is too wet to work. If it crumbles and breaks apart easily, it is in condition for handling.

To plow or spade soil too wet will form clods that will be very difficult to break. If that is done this late in the season, the soil will be handicapped and will be hard to work all year.

Starter Solutions
The use of starter solutions in setting plants is helpful if other practices are carefully followed. If the soil is high in organic matter and fertile, if the seedbed is well prepared, if good sturdy, stocky, disease-free plants are used, the addition of starter solution in transplanting will be beneficial. If, on the other hand, the important practices are omitted and starter solutions are expected to make up for neglect in other things their use will prove disappointing.

The material for making up starter solution can be purchased as such or the solution may be made up from the ordinary complete commercial fertilizer the gardener may have on hand. If the prepared materials are used, the directions on the package should be followed. If ordinary complete commercial fertilizer is used, starter solution can be made from it by dissolving it in water in the proportion of 1 ounce of fertilizer to one gallon of water. When the plant is transplanted, one cupful of this solution may be put in the soil with each plant.

Homemade Dusters
There is an apparent shortage of commercial garden dusters on the market. This does not mean, however, that a victory garden need be unprotected from insect pests. Although a good commercial hand duster is probably the most convenient, a homemade duster if used properly and on time is certainly better than none at all.

A loosely woven cloth bag, or even a tin can with small holes punched in one end may save the vegetable crop from destruction by insects. A little more dust and considerably more care is required with a homemade duster than with a commercial duster but satisfactory results are possible. Furthermore, hand sprayers are almost as effective as dusters for controlling many garden insects. Some people are reluctant to use sprays merely because they are less convenient to mix than most of the dusts. The most important factor is to get the right dust or spray on the plants before any serious damage occurs.

Cabbage Worms
Wherever we grow cabbage, or related crops such as broccoli and cauliflower, we are likely to find cabbage worms. They are the velvety green worms which eat holes in the foliage of these plants.

Cabbage worms are readily controlled by dusting with any of the stomach poisons such as arsenate of lead, calcium arsenate, or cryolite. Lead arsenate and calcium arsenate should be diluted with hydrated lime as directed on the package, but the cryolite should be diluted with some other material such as flour or dusting talc. A mixture of one part bulk cryolite to three parts wheat flour is effective. These mixtures are perfectly safe even late in the season if the outer leaves are discarded and the cabbage heads thoroughly rinsed in clear water before using.

Dorrit rotenone is often recommended for the control of cabbage worms because of its non-poisonous property. It is very effective but should be applied in concentrations of .5 per cent rotenone or more. It, unfortunately, is not available in many locations because of the wartime shortage.

Cut Worms

Cut worms are unobtrusive pests which do their work at night and hide from view during daylight. Their damage, however, is very obvious and very destructive to many garden plants. Already this season injury from this insect has been reported. There are different

types of cut worms; some black, others greenish-striped or brown, and when full-grown they may reach a length of more than 1½ inches. Their habit is to completely cut off the plants at or just above ground level.

For control of cut worms in small gardens, paper collars placed around the stem of each plant will help. The collar should extend about an inch below and two inches above the ground surface. This has been particularly successful in protecting tomato plants. In the larger vegetable areas it may be necessary to use a poisoned bran bait. The bait is prepared by mixing one quart of dry bran and two tablespoons of paris green. Just enough water is added to make the bait crumbly when squeezed in the hand and at the same time moisten every flake. The bait should be spread uniformly thin over the ground in the late evening. The above quantity should cover about 1/6 acre.

Stored Items Must Be Clean

The key to successful storage of clothing and furnishings is to have them stored scrupulously clean. All insects are attracted to the soiled spots on materials. Washing and dry-cleaning will kill the insects present in the garment.

Garment bags are of no value in themselves in killing insects, but if clean clothing—free of moths—are sealed in moth-proof bags the insects can be kept out indefinitely. A bag or closet is insect proof if it is air-tight.

Clothing just dry-cleaned or washed, if wrapped in clean paper with its edges well folded back or sealed carefully, will remain free of moths as long as the paper is not broken. As a safeguard, add a few crystals of paradichlorobenzene—commonly called "PDB"—or some flakes of naphthalene to the package. It will destroy any moth which may have gained access to the clothing before it was wrapped.

It is the fumes from these chemicals which kill the moths. The crystals are not effective unless used in closets which are seldom opened, or packaged in boxes or trunks from which the air is excluded. Use about one-fourth pound of the crystals sprinkled between the layers of clothing in a small trunk.

The smell of cedar or pine oil will not prevent moths from doing damage. Printer's ink on newspaper has no protective value.

Clothing and furnishings should be stored in a dry place that is neither too hot nor too cold. The efficient homemaker labels the boxes so that she can find the stored articles easily whenever they are needed.

Feed Payments Be Continued

It was announced that the Dairy Feed Payment Program will be continued through March, 1945, stated C. E. Ferguson, chairman, Pettis County Triple-A committee, today.

Dairy Feed Payments are now being made by the committee on March and April, 1944, production of whole milk and butterfat at the rate of 50¢ per hundredweight of whole milk sold and 8¢ per pound of butterfat sold. Mr. Ferguson stated that a number of producers have not filed application for their payment and are warned to do so before the deadline date of June 30.

It is anticipated that payments will be made hereafter in periods covering two months production and applications will be accepted if filed within 60 days after the last calendar day of the payment period for which the application is made. Applications for the present payment period of March and April will be accepted until June 30. If the producer is unable to call at the office to collect his payment, the sales tickets on products sold may be mailed in and the payment will be sent to the producer by return mail. Applications for the May and June production period will be accepted from July 1 until August 31.

The payment rates as now announced are 35 cents a hundredweight on whole milk and 6 cents a pound on butterfat on May through August production. For September through March 1945 production the rates will be 60 cents a hundredweight on whole milk and 10 cents a pound on butterfat.

Good Attendance At Food Demonstration

The proper methods of food preservation through canning and by freezing were demonstrated by Mrs. Letha Knight Jopling, Saturday afternoon, May 20, in the Armory in Sedalia. The attendance included not only homemakers, but 4-H Club girls who are interested in food preservation, and two men. These persons asked questions during the demonstration which helped to bring out the important points of food preservation.

Mrs. Jopling showed the recommended methods of canning which included hot water bath, steam-er, and pressure cooker; freezing in syrup and in dry pack; and top

Workers Available



Young workers of high school age such as the one shown in photograph are available for summer work on farms of Missouri, and it is possible for several Pettis county farmers to secure such help if satisfactory applications are made soon, points out County Agent J. U. Morris.

These boys and girls are from cities and towns and most of them have received some general agricultural training in school these past few months under the Vocational Agricultural Education Department in order to help them prepare for farm work. These boys and girls are making themselves available for farm work

stove drying. The various types of jars and closures were shown and discussed.

Miss Dorothy Bacon, Home Demonstration Agent, distributed copies of the various extension publications which are available through the county extension office. Miss Bacon also discussed the types of canning equipment which are available in Sedalia. Several of the women in attendance were women who had canned thousands of quarts of food, but who commented, "I'm glad I came because I got some new ideas."

'Cooperation' Bureau Byword

This article concerns the Farm Bureau organization and concludes the series of nine articles telling of the activities of the Pettis County Home and Community Committee. The members of the committee are Mrs. B. C. Claycomb, chairman; Mrs. A. C. Runge, Mrs. P. S. Read, Mrs. G. D. Ferguson, Mrs. Walter Rissler, Mrs. J. A. DeJarnette, Mrs. Geo. Fichter, Mrs. Tom Harvey, Mrs. Robert Rissler, and Dorothy Bacon.

The aim of the committee in strengthening the Farm Bureau organization is to publicize the good work of the Farm Bureau emphasizing the fact that Farm Bureau is a family organization including activities for the women and children as well as the men. They are eager to cooperate with other organized groups and do so in most of their activities.

They also encourage every member to accept responsibility in the Farm Bureau organization and realize it is their organization, not only in Pettis County, but in Missouri and all the states that make the national organization. Although the Farm Bureau stresses educational activities such as 4-H and other extension activities, they do not stop there but do much for farm people in legislative and service matters, publicity, group hospitalization, and insurance.

Mrs. P. S. Read of the Quisenberry Community is the member of the Home and Community Committee who represents the organization phase of Farm Bureau.

Homemakers at Cramer Home

The Arator Homemakers met all day Wednesday at the home of Mrs. E. L. Cramer. After the luncheon, to which all contributed, the vice-president, Mrs. J. H. Youngkamp gave some current items, the club Betty Dove read a poem, "The Demonstration Day."



Wells was game leader. Prizes went to Mrs. Youngkamp and Mrs. E. L. Cramer.

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A Shortage Of Balbo Rye Seed

Fifty-five thousand acres of rye was harvested in Missouri in 1943, according to the Bureau of Agricultural Economics. Approximately 33,000 acres of this was Balbo. It is estimated that 71 per cent of the Balbo rye harvested was seeded by the grower or sold for seed. On the basis of the average yield of 11 bushels per acre, not more than 130-140,000 acres of Balbo rye was seeded last fall for all purposes. This averages only about 11-12,000 acres per county. In 1943, 140,000 acres of rye was seeded and only 55,000 was harvested. If this ratio of harvested acreage to seeded acreage holds this year, only about 40,000 acres of Balbo rye will be harvested.

An average yield would mean only enough Balbo rye seed to seed some 150,000 to 165,000 acres or about 13 to 14,000 acres per county. In view of the demand which exceeded the supply last fall, J. U. Morris, County Extension Agent, intimates there is every reason to believe that Balbo rye seed will be limited again this year. He, therefore, urges every Pettis County farmer who has an acreage of Balbo rye to save it for seed, if at all possible. Pettis County farmers are reported to have about 1000 acres of this crop this year, and the expansion of the acreage should be a step in the right direction toward better fall and early spring pasture.

If all the seed on all the acreage of Balbo rye seeded last fall could be harvested and reseeded — in Missouri, that is, none pastured out, fed or sold as grain or seed

outside the state — less than 500,000 acres could be planted. When we consider the fall pasture problem, this acreage seems small enough. This would mean an average of only 4,300 acres per county, and only two counties reported less than 10,000 head of cattle on January 1, 1941.

There is a need for the seed. The fact that only 3 to 4 acres out of each 10 acres is usually harvested as seed gives a wide margin in which to secure a larger supply.

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Present prices of whiskey

Hiram Walker brands are supplied regularly, yet due to wartime demands your dealer often will be unable to furnish the brand you request

OUR GOVERNMENT has found it necessary to place higher taxes on many things in order to raise the billions of dollars needed to win this war.

And whiskey is one of the things on which a higher excise tax has been placed. In altering the prices, the distillery, the wholesaler, and the retailer are adding only the

exact amount of the new tax, without "mark-up."

Since our plants stopped distilling whiskey in 1942 the only changes in official prices of Hiram Walker brands have been those due to excise taxes and OPA adjustments.

The official OPA prices of Hiram Walker brands in this city are now as follows:



Canadian Club

Blended Canadian Whiskey
90.4 proof. This whiskey is 6 years old

OFFICIAL OPA PRICES ON CANADIAN CLUB IMPORTED AFTER MARCH 31, 1944—INCLUDING LATEST FEDERAL EXCISE TAX (Missouri Sales Tax Additional)

\$5.18 4/5 QUART \$3.25 PINT



Walker's DeLuxe

Straight Bourbon Whiskey
86 proof. This whiskey is 4 years old

OFFICIAL OPA PRICES—INCLUDING LATEST FEDERAL EXCISE TAX (Missouri Sales Tax Additional)

\$4.13 QUART \$2.11 PINT

A substantial quantity of Hiram Walker brands is supplied regularly to this area. Yet the wartime demand is so great that your dealer often cannot furnish the brand you request. In fairness to him, please be patient and remember that the whiskey shortage is real... due to the war work of the distilleries. The best way to obtain your favorite brand is to ask for it every time!

Hiram Walker & Sons Inc., Peoria, Illinois

I-Announcements

7-Personals
SUBSCRIBE to the Kansas City Star, delivered twice daily Phone 2405.
DRUNKARD LOSES JOB and home. Give Quits secretly. Star Drug.
WATKINS DEALER—Mail orders. Hutchinson's 804 West Third, Powell Cain.
10-Strayed, Lost, Found
STRAYED: Yearling Hereford heifer. E. M. Green, Hughesville.
LOST: BILL FOLD 16th and Grand, currency, important papers, pictures. H. A. Williams, 1002 South Grand. Phone 812. Reward.
\$10 REWARD — for information leading to return of black and white English Shepherd female dog, 4 white paws, white ring around neck, white tip on tail. Phone 3731-W or 676.

II-Automotive

11-Automobiles for Sale
1940 FORD—De Luxe, radio, heater, phone 1905.
1937 FORD, good condition. Clean. 614 Wilkerson.
GOOD USED CARS—15th and Ohio. Archie Decker.
1934 PLYMOUTH 4 door, good condition. Phone 3085.
1936 PLYMOUTH—good. See janitor. Ruby Lee 13th and Ohio.
1938 CHRYSLER sedan, good rubber. 808 East Broadway after 6.
1939 PLYMOUTH—Coach, good tires. 405 East 7th. Phone 3195-W.
1940 PLYMOUTH, new engine, 1,500 miles. Good tires. Phone 3258.
1935 DODGE COUPE—A-1 Tires, overhauled motor, radio, heater. Lt. Berick. Phone 1788.
1941 FORD COACH; 1939 Ford Coupe, 1937 Chevrolet 4 door, 1937 Chevrolet pickup, 1935 Chevrolet coupe, 1928 Chrysler 4 door, good tires. 1931 Pontiac, 1937 Plymouth 4 door, 1935 Chevrolet 4 door, 1919 South Limit. Phone 4216, or 4166.
15-Motorcycles and Bicycles
BICYCLE—practically new. Phone 1613.
MAN'S BICYCLE—good condition. 818 East 4th. Phone 4074.
WESTERN FLYER bicycle, good as new. 1719 South Osage.
16-Repairing—Service Stations
COMPLETE VULCANIZING, Tire and Battery Service, Cleaners, naphtha. Phillips Service Station, 7th and Ohio. Phone 3282.

MINNOWS

Fishing Licenses
Vulcanizing
Radiators Backflushed
Floral Tire & Battery Station
 Phone 3260 - 16th & 65 Hwy

17-Wanted Automotive

WANTED—late model car. Phone 2198.
GOOD CLEAN CAR—good tires, 1935-1940 model. Write description and price. Phone number. Write Box 533, Clarksburg, Mo.

III-Business Service

18-Business Services Offered
PEABODY RADIO SERVICE for twenty years at 1319 S. Osage. Phone 854.
SEWING MACHINE SERVICE—Adjusting, repair all makes. 225 South Kentucky.
FLOOR SANDER and edger for rent by the day. Phone 123, Firestone Stores.
WILL GRIND LAWNMOWERS—with electric machine. 703 Lafayette, Phone 3667.
PURSLEY ELECTRIC COMPANY—contracting, house wiring, motor repair service. 220 West 4th. Phone 104.
WASHER, VACUUM CLEANER SERVICE, parts, wringer rollers, dust bags, all makes. Burkholder Maytag, 109 Ohio. Phone 114.
MACHINE WORK—Prompt service, reasonable prices. Wholesale Auto Parts, Sedalia, Missouri. Homer Hall, 205 South Osage. Phone 766.
PERMANENT WAVES—Machine \$3.00 up. Machineless \$4.50 up. Cold waves \$10.00 up. Only standard supplies used. May-Belle Beauty Shop, 122½ West 3rd. Phone 824.
HAVE YOUR old mattresses made over into a fine renovated and recovered mattress, at a very low cost. Feather mattresses made from your feather beds. Bryan-Paulus Awning Company. Phone 131.
SINGER—New Singer electric sewing machines for rent. All makes of sewing machines repaired. We buy used machines. New machines for sale. A Singer representative is in Sedalia regularly. Write Singer Sewing Machine Company, 106 East High, Jefferson City, Missouri.

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 Phone 69-F-23 Sedalia, Mo.
 Reverse Charge.

19-Building and Contracting

REMODEL UP TO \$200; farms up to \$1,000. Repairs and used materials unlimited. Call Tom Ware 2664.
24-Laudering
WANTED WASHINGS—616 East 15th or call 3594-W.

III-Business Service

24-Laudering Continued
WANTED LAUNDRY—flat work ironed. Phone 2895.
25-Moving, Trucking Storage
MIDDLETON STORAGE COMPANY—Dependable service under owner management responsibility. Storing, moving, packing and crating. Lamine and Missouri Pacific tracks. Phone 946.
26-Painting Papering Decorating
WANTED: WALL PAPER CLEANING and painting, work guaranteed. Phone 1711.

IV-Employment

32-Help Wanted—Female
WANTED HOUSEKEEPER—any age. Call 1595 after 5 p. m.
WAITRESSES WANTED: East End Tavern, 5th and Engineer. Good wages, steady work.
LADY FOR HOUSEWORK—and care of children. Stay nights if possible. Call 2395-W or 700 East 17th.
WANTED GIRL—or woman for cashier work, two hours Saturday, two hours Sunday. Apply at Uptown Theatre.
WANTED: MIDDLE AGED LADY —to live in modern country home and care for family. Good wages. Write box "W" Care Democrat.

WANTED
Stenographer-Secretary
 for long-established local firm. Permanent. Finest working conditions. State experience and salary expected first letter.
ADDRESS BOX 87 CARE DEMOCRAT-CAPITAL
 (Our employees know this ad is being published).

33-Help Wanted—Male

WANTED PORTER—Call in person. St. Francis Hotel, 3rd and Lamine.
SERVICE STATION WORK—Brown's Automotive Clinic, 3rd and Osage.
WANTED MAN—to repair Singer Sewing leather machines. Timber Queen Shoe Company, 2nd and Osage. Phone 206.
MARRIED MAN experienced in all kinds farm work, good wages for the right man. Can use middle aged man with teen age boy. Write Box "10-A" care Democrat.

WANTED THREE FARMER married men to work on Colorado ranch. Living quarters 4 and 5 room houses. Extra good wages. R. A. Sundwall, 1416 South Osage. Phone 2993.

34-Help—Male and Female

WANTED EXPERIENCED help—Waitress and kitchen. Kueck's, 625.
BUS GIRLS or boys. Steady work. Good salary. Apply Hotel Bothwell.
WANTED: EXPERIENCED Waitress, dishwasher, porter. Apply Fred Hildebrandt, 124 East 3rd.
HELP WANTED: Men and women to work in Egg Breaking department mornings, afternoons or evenings. Here is your opportunity to help on the home front. Good pay. Time and one-half for overtime. Apply in person. Swift and Company. Main and Grand.
WANTED: MEN AND WOMEN—no age limit, to represent a National publication. Car helpful, but not necessary. To call on farmers and people living in small towns. Sales campaign unlike any other. Address Box 1445 South Side Station, Springfield, Missouri.
WANTED TWO GIRLS and boy for cafe and tavern work. Saturday and Sunday. Corbett Cafe, East Highway 50.

WANTED
Men or Women
Timber Queen Shoe Co.
 2nd and Osage
 Call in Person or
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36-Situation Wanted—Female

WANTED DAY WORK, curtains and blankets laundered. Phone 1328 evenings.
GOOD, HONEST WOMAN—to make home and share expenses with lady. 315 East 3rd. Phone 3670.

V-Financial

40-Money to Loan—Mortgages
CHOICE FARM LOANS 4%, no commission. See W. D. Smith.

VII-Live Stock

47-Dogs, Cats, other Pets
FINE PERSIAN KITTENS — for sale. 401 Dal-Whi-Mo.
COCKER PUPS, Black, buff, dark red—partis. 1626 West 16th.
IRISH SETTER PUP, 10 months. \$15.00. 312 North Grand. 2213-J.
4 BEAUTIFUL MALE COCKER puppies, 2 blondes, 2 red and white, beautifully marked. Finest bloodlines. Pedigreed. Phone 1517 or 1806 West Broadway.
47-A-Rabbits For Sale—Rabbits and hutch. 112 West 7th. Phone 3796.
FOR SALE—New Zealand rabbits, all sizes also hutch. One good Nubian milk goat, fresh. Phone 2338.

VII-Live Stock

47-A-Rabbits For Sale Continued
RABBITS: 4 mature does, one buck, 12 young. Phone 1416.
48-Horses, Cattle other Stock
MILK COWS — for sale. 2201 South Ohio.
OR TRADE—work mare. P. D. Hull, La Monte, Route 2.
MILK COWS—and Jersey heifers. Phone 3094. Frank Colbern.
TWO FRESH COWS—one cow to freshen soon. Phone 38-F-11.
OR TRADE—work mare. P. D. Hull, La Monte, Missouri. Route 2.
JERSEY COW and mower. W. G. Green, Smithton, Phone 2421.
REGISTERED GUERNSEY—bulls. All ages. Ernest Funk, Windsor, Route 2.
REGISTERED HAMPSHIRE boars, bred and open girls. Milton Mathew, Windsor, Missouri.
A FEW PURE BRED—Jersey cows and heifers. Registry papers if desired. Milt Smith, Water Works Road.
20 JERSEY AND GUERNSEY heifers. Some heavy springers. One with calf by side. W. L. Jackson, Smithton.
WE PAY — for dead animals, horses, cattle and hogs, if not skinned or decomposed. We pay telephone charges. Phone Sedalia, Phone 3033.
49-Poultry and Supplies
FRYERS FOR SALE, also work horse. Phone 4302-W-1.
TOP PRICE PAID for quality fryers and hens. Will Farris. Phone 177.
FRYING CHICKENS: Follow 50, ¾ mile east of city limits. Turn south 2 miles. Hugh Winters, Route 5.
CULL YOUR HENS—Keep your layers but sell the non-layers immediately. Swift's will cull your flock and buy your market poultry. Phone 148. Swift and Company.

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50-Wanted—Live Stock

100 HEAD of stock hogs. C. F. Wicker, Houstonia, 8-F-21.
WANTED HORSE for garden work. Call Watkins, Otterville, 103.

VIII-Merchandise

51-Articles for Sale
OAK POSTS—Write or call Harold Hill, Smithton.
HEATROLA, first class condition. 1310 East 4th. C. L. Vaughn.
SUITS CASES—3 sizes, \$2.73, \$4.09, \$4.56. Supply limited. Star Drug.
ROAD AND CONCRETE gravel. Lawrence Keel. Phone 2197.

51-Articles for Sale

ONE GUITAR — one smoking stand, coffee table. 1114 West 4th.
THROW RUGS 27x43 inch, various colors, design. 89c. Star Drug.
VOGEL FROST PROOF toilet, never been installed, \$15.00. Phone 1347.
LARGE—exhaust fan, 24 inch, 3 phase motor. 220 Volts. Almost, 415 West Broadway. Phone 1765.

51-Articles for Sale

TAILORS SINGER SEWING — machine, Number 31-15. Good operating condition. Price \$25. Acme Manufacturing Company.
GLASS HEADQUARTERS: Window glass, mirrors, glass shelves, glass for dressers, coffee tables, Show cases, store fronts. Dugans, Phone 142.
BOLTS, NAILS — ovenware, lamps, roofing, rope, chicken feeders and waterers. Berry-Farthing Hardware, 118 West Main Street.
CHILD'S PLAYHOUSE, Hollywood bed, living room chairs, breakfast set, kitchen table, golf clubs, lawn roller, garden tools, fruit jars. Phone 2320.
STOVES, MACHINES, rugs, chains, cans, tubs, trunks, chests, tools, lamps, cabinets, chests, clocks, toasters, swings, dishes, mowers, porch furniture. Store, 1207 Ingram. Phone 3355.

54-Business, Office Equipment

1-15-30 INTERNATIONAL tractor, 1-22-36 Oliver separator, good running condition. Walter Varner, Lincoln, Missouri.
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WARDS FOR FENCING
 26 inch Hog fencing, 20 \$6.20
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 14 Gauge Barb \$3.12 per spool
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57-A-Fruits and Vegetables Continued
STRAWBERRIES — \$5.00 crate. Write J. O. Kincheloe, Hughesville, Missouri.
59-Household Goods
BABY BED with pre-war springs and mattress. Phone 1291.
PRACTICALLY NEW—Simmons White Knight mattress. Phone 3572.
THREE ROOMS — of furniture. Curtains, rods and etc. Good condition. Phone 397.
DETROIT JEWEL gas cook stove. Good oven \$25.00. Also Emerson table radio. \$25.00. Call 2000.
RADIO, GOOD—bed, springs and mattress. Dressing table, good dishes. Walnut wardrobe, quilts, other items. 1309 East 10th.
MANCHU—20-F-32, Sedalia.
ILLINOIS BEANS. Charles Chappell, Route 6, Sedalia. Phone 53-F-13.
CERTIFIED SEED POTATOES: 6 weeks early triumphs, cobblers, red river early Ohio. Ready to plant now. Onion sets, onion plants, cabbage and tomato plants. Comb honey in buckets. Gordon Brothers.
63-Seeds, Plants, Flowers
PLANTS—Tomato, peppers, cabbage, 1607 South Stewart. Phone 1204. Stanfield.
64-Specials At The Stores

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Wagon Box For Sale
 Sound sturdy grain tight construction throughout. Hardwood sills. Heavily ironed for longer life. Folding endgate 10½x38 inch x 26 inch. Compare with others at dollars more. Only \$39.50.
 All steel farm truck. See Wards Lo Load arc welded frame for extra strength. Smooth running light draft. Think roller bearing equipped adjustable bolster. Only 17 inches high, for easy loading. See it today at
 Only \$89.00
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66-Wanted To Buy

OLD BUILDINGS for lumber and used materials. Tom Ware 2664.
WANTED: ELECTRIC fans, used or new. Any size. Star Drug Company.
CASH—for your furniture, stoves and rugs. Callies Furniture Co. Phone 412.
WANTED MISSOURI CENTENAL half dollars. Write Box "11" Care Democrat.

66-Wanted To Buy

PAPER, RAGS, feathers, sheep pelts, cow and horse hides. M. and M. Hide and Wool Company, 301 West Main. Phone 59.
CASH FOR POULTRY: eggs and cream. Full line of poultry and live stock feed. Square Deal Produce Company, 302 West Main. Phone 836.

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Personals

Mrs. Tony Wingfield of Osawatimie, Kas., is here for a few days to visit with her mother, Mrs. Cassie Richardson, 1819 South Stewart avenue and other relatives.

W. F. Robertson, 1919 South Harrison avenue, has returned home from Springfield where he spent the past two weeks with his son, J. R. Robertson, who accompanied him home. While here Mr. Robertson also visited with Mr. and Mrs. George West and daughter, Elizabeth, 403 East Sixth street.

Mrs. Goldie Kirner of St. Louis is here for a few days' visit with her son, Chas. Johnson, and her mother, Mrs. Mary Ott, 516 East Twelfth street.

Mrs. J. L. Zwissler, her sons, Flight Officer Robert Zwissler, who has recently received his wings at Lubbock, Texas; Joe Zwissler and her daughter, Mary Louise, of Kansas City, spent the weekend with Mrs. Zwissler's mother, Mrs. P. O'Connell and sisters, Mrs. C. H. Weaver and Miss Marquerite O'Connell, 408 Dal-Whitlo Court.

Mrs. W. A. Beckemeyer of the Rothwell hotel, has returned after spending the past six weeks in St. Louis with her sister, Mrs. Berry Haug and family of the Congress hotel and with her daughter, Miss Barbara Beckemeyer, who is doing social medical work in St. Louis.

Mrs. J. W. Parker of Kansas City came Sunday for a visit with her cousins, Mrs. J. M. Cain, 502 Wilkerson street, and Mrs. J. M. Cain, 502

has gone to Otterville for a few days to visit her nieces, Misses Clara and Grace Cordry and will return to Sedalia the latter part of the week. Mrs. Parker is a sister-in-law of the late Brig. Gen. John Parker, known as "Gatting John Parker."

Curtis R. Shaw of the U. S. Marine Corps, returned Friday to San Diego, Calif., where he is stationed for a 10 day leave spent with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shaw, 1111 South Ohio avenue. He has won several medals in throwing hand grenades, bayoneting and rifle shooting. Young Shaw is 25 years old today. Mr. and Mrs. Shaw have had with them also their daughter, Mrs. Dora Collins of St. Louis, who will return to her home Tuesday. She came to Sedalia to visit with her brother, Mrs. James Green of Kansas City is here for a few days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Elliott, 219 West Fifth street.

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HORIZONTAL

- 1 Pictured novelist,
- 11 Rowing stick
- 12 Races
- 13 Be indebted
- 14 Affirmative
- 16 Electrical engineer (abbr.)
- 17 Dined
- 18 Opera (abbr.)
- 20 Measure of area
- 21 Aluminum (symbol)
- 22 Ruthenium (symbol)
- 24 Sleeping vision
- 27 Operatic solos
- 30 Weird
- 31 Transmits
- 32 District attorney (abbr.)
- 33 Palm lily
- 34 Clenched hands
- 37 Open spaces
- 40 Sea
- 41 Battlefield of World War I
- 42 Great (abbr.)
- 43 Bone
- 44 Upward
- 45 Tellurium (symbol)
- 46 Uncooked
- 48 Him
- 50 Was seated
- 53 Title of romance
- 54 Market
- 56 Weep
- 58 He is a

VERTICAL

- 1 Behold!
- 2 Deposit
- 3 Native metal
- 4 Doctor (abbr.)
- 5 Justly
- 6 claimable
- 6 Individual
- 7 We
- 8 Parcel of land
- 9 Reverential fear
- 10 Compasspoint
- 15 Similar
- 17 Exclamation
- 18 Lyric poem
- 19 Forecast
- 22 Glowing
- 23 United States Steamship

Answer to Previous Puzzle

- (abbr.)
- 25 Eradicate
- 26 Three-toed sloth
- 28 Of the thing
- 29 Bury
- 35 Tantalum (symbol)
- 36 White precipitation
- 37 Amperes (abbr.)
- 38 Sun god
- 39 Observe
- 46 Narrow inlet
- 47 Provide with weapons
- 48 Possesses
- 49 Age
- 51 Coal residue
- 52 Also
- 53 Senior fellow (abbr.)
- 54 Greek letter
- 55 Tungsten (abbr.)
- 57 British (abbr.)

received this morning a \$10 bill in Chinese money from Sgt. John Ledbetter, with the air force, stationed somewhere in the Asiatic area.

Sedalia's Armory Is Dedicated

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anded by Captain Ruckle Marshall; Company G, 2nd Bn Warrensburg; Company H, 2nd Bn, commanded by Captain Persinger, Booneville; Headquarters Company, 1st Bn, commanded by Major Sullivan, accompanied by Captain Ross, executive officer.

The band of the Sedalia Army Air Field played at intervals during the ceremonies.

Bombers, Fighters

In the Service

Howard W. Durham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Durham, 621 West Seventh street, has been promoted to a first lieutenant, according to word received by his parents. Lt. Durham's promotion from second lieutenant was received on May 27, 1943.

He entered the service January 27, 1943, attended officers candidate school at Ft. Belvoir, Va. and received his commission in May, 1943. He is in the United States Engineers and stationed at Camp Swift, Texas.

GREAT LAKES, Ill., May 26—Among those graduating from an intensive course of basic engineering training at recent service school exercises here was Maurice E. Kelley, 26, husband of Opal M. Kelley, 1323 East Sixth street.

In Poland, Germany
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...bombers to Yugoslavia strafed motor transport trains and an air-... One Liberators formation attacking Wiener Neustadt was assigned the task of destroying anything left intact in the main Messerschmitt factory which has been damaged in six previous assaults. The Germans declared heavy air battles were fought, with Nazi fighters striking through Allied port screens into the bomber formation.

...was graduated from the Altus Okla., flying school on May 21 as a pilot and was commissioned a second lieutenant.

CAMP CAMPBELL, Ky., (Special)—Pvt. Claude W. Nold of Sedalia, was one of the 51 members of the 20th armored division to be awarded the Good Conduct medal, it was announced here today by the office of Major Gen. Rodrick R. Allen.

Pvt. Nold is a member of Battery B, the 414th Armored Field Artillery battalion.

The daylight assaults capped a night in which the RAF kept the low-balling air offensive rolling checked by assaults on the north-western French railroad center of Angers, the German chemical city of Ludwigshafen, and other targets on the French east.

Additional Society

The regular dinner held at the country club Sunday evening, was attended by about eighty guests, a number of them from out of town.

Accountants Convention

Mrs. Shirley W. Wagner has returned home from Jefferson City on Friday and Saturday she attended the convention of the State Public Accountants Association at the Governor hotel. Gov. Ernest C. Donnell addressed the convention on Friday and at the banquet Saturday evening. Frank R. Brodie, member of the state board, was guest speaker. Mrs. Wagner is serving as a member of Professional Ethics and Public Relations committee of the association this year.

Jig Contest at USO
Tuesday Night

Opportunity will be given Tuesday night for persons who like to jig, tap dance, or present some special dance to get in on a short contest. Any person in the community interested in this contest is invited to attend and participate. Time for the contest will be 9:30 p. m. about the middle of the program. Suitable awards will be given the winners.

C. H. Shoemaker will call for the squares in the bog dance which

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SAAF has Good Record, Keeps 'Them Rolling'

Automotive Disability Rate Below Average

Reporting an automotive disability rate of 1.7 per cent at the Sedalia Army Air Field, a troop carrier base, as compared with a national average of 6 per cent, Capt. Frank W. Hogan, base ordnance officer disclosed this was due to "the untiring efforts of both military and civilian personnel of the automotive equipment and vehicle shops to get the job done."

"The excellent work of the supply section of base ordnance, under the supervision of Captain Samuel H. McGinty and Staff Sergeant Cooper Mullins, who spend at least half of each week roaming all over Missouri looking for spare parts necessary to get vehicles off the deadline and keep 'em rolling," Captain Hogan said, "is a dominant factor in this fine record."

Those Responsible

The personnel responsible for this fine record are: T/Sgt. Elmer C. Berg and Tech. Sergeant Raymond E. Sisson, of the Inspection and Shop Control building, T/Sgt. James G. Daugherty, of the

buying of specialties high-lighted stock market proceedings. Investment demand, generally on individual situations, was even at the start. Scattered pivots a little progress but many mills a slightly irregular course. News international battlefronts holds bullish sentiment.

Gains of fractions to 2 points well distributed at the close, with few much wider jumps observed. Dealings were unusually lively for pre-holiday session although sharp downturns were frequent. Transfers around 800,000 shares.

At peaks for 1944 were Laclede preferred, which added some 15 p. as the S. E. C. approved revised organization plans which will be owned by senior shares; Chry Hudson Motor, Atlantic Coast L. Nash-Kelvinator, White Motor, gett and Myers "B", American T. phone, Budd Mfg., Goodrich O. Farm, South Porto Rico Sugar, Atlantic Sugar, American Tobacco Rimmel and Gamewell.

Steels, rails, coppers, aircrafts oils were rather indifferent performers.

Hudson and Manhattan bonds exhibited strength when the support set aside a lower court of prohibiting the carrier from rail fares.

Chicago Livestock

CHICAGO, May 29.—(P)—(War P. Administration)—Hogs: salable 101, total 18,000; moderately active, steady on good and choice 150 to 270 points at \$15.75; the top; other weights uneven, but generally strong to good; heavy sales 25 cents higher; medium and light sales 25 cents more up; sows around 20 cents higher; good and choice 250 to 270 points.

George W. Quarles, foreman of the two 2nd Echelon Shops. Particularly worthy of praise among the civilians are Victor Ward, in charge of the maintenance crew on general purpose vehicles and Orville Hendricks, in charge of the maintenance crew on special purpose vehicles.

Captain Hogan said, "It is the aim of ordnance to improve on this record, with more and more emphasis to be placed in the future on driver, or 1st Echelon maintenance. The full cooperation of all concerned is necessary to keep 'em rolling for America and victory."

Six Die After Taking Drinks

NEW YORK, May 29.—(AP)—Mrs. Sophie Kruisunas, 31, was held without bail today for the

The wife of a candy store proprietor and mother of a five-year-old boy was arraigned before Magistrate Charles Solomon in Brooklyn felony court yesterday.

Victor Filipkowski, 58, was found dead yesterday as the latest victim after five men died Saturday. A bottle of liquor found near his body was sent to the city toxicologists for analysis.

Police said Mrs. Krisuinias admitted selling 15 bottles of an al-

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS. May 29.—(P)—(War Food Administration)—Hogs, 3,000; houlders, 600; Saturday 2,000; 180 pounds up; lighter weights fairly active; generators steady with last week's close; cows to 20 cents lower; top and bulk sales good and choice 150 to 200 pounds \$13.75; odd lots 271 to 280 pounds \$11.25 to \$12.25; 160 to 180 pounds \$12.00 to \$12.50; 140 to 160 pounds \$11.00 to \$12.10; 120 to 140 pounds \$9.75 to \$11.00; 100 to 120 pounds \$8.75 to \$10.00; good stock \$10.75 to \$11.00; latter sales \$10 down; stage \$11.00 down; heavy hold over indicated.

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and reported they had found a 15-gallon tank of denatured alcohol as well as 30 gallons in bottles at the Krisiunas home.

Intellectual Workers Should Organize

NEW YORK, May 29.—(AP)—Intellectual workers should organize on the pattern of the "working classes" for protection of their economic status and "in the interest of society as a whole," says Prof. Albert Einstein.

Lack of organization, he said in a statement to the National War-time conference, has resulted in

to \$16.25; common and medium \$13.00 to \$14.50; good mixed yearlings a halfers \$11.50 to \$15.25; common a halfers \$11.00 to \$14.00; common a medium beef cows \$9.75 to \$11.50; medium and good sausage bulls \$10.00 to \$11.50; good and choice vealers \$15.25 to \$17.00; medium and good \$12.75 and \$14.00; 10 loads of steers on sale; nominally range slaughter steers \$11.75 to \$17.00; slaughter halfers \$10.00 to \$16.25; stocker and feeder steers \$9.75 to \$14.00.

Sheep, 2,200; early receipts practically all trucked-in; several loads reported back; spring lambs opened steady to strong; most good at choice \$15.00 to \$15.50; few lots \$15.75 to \$16.00; medium and good \$13.00 to \$14.50; few good clipped ewes steady at \$6.

will protect against arbitrariness and exploitation than members of any other calling."

The Markets

Wheat Closes Lower

CHICAGO, May 23.—(P)—The possibility of important military developments during the Decoration Day holiday affected rice futures today and there was an increase in selling near the close of trading. The wheat market was affected by the trade in rice

Kansas City Livestock

KANSAS CITY, May 23.—(P)—(W)—Food Administration)—Hogs: salable and total 5,000; fairly active, mostly steady; good and choice 180 pounds \$12.50; few 280 to 350 pounds \$10.90 to \$11.75; 140 to 170 pounds \$9.50 to \$11.25; sows \$10.00 to \$10.35 fairly complete clearance.

Cattle, salable 7,500; total 8,700; calves: salable 1,500; total 1,500; generally active, slaughter classes steady to strong with many cows 25 cents higher; stockers and feeders comprised 65 per cent of the run, trade steady; several loads choice beef steers \$16.25 to \$16.60; medium and

up, but buying shorts was a paying influence.

Wheat closed $\frac{3}{4}$ to one cent lower than Saturday's finish. July, \$1.614; Dec. \$1.61. Oats were $\frac{1}{2}$ cent lower to one cent higher. July 76 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢. Rye was $\frac{1}{2}$ to $\frac{3}{4}$ cent lower. July \$1.10 $\frac{1}{2}$ to \$1.10 $\frac{1}{4}$. Barley was unchanged to $\frac{1}{4}$ cent lower. July \$1.20.

CHICAGO Grain Table

CHICAGO, May 29.—(P)—

	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—			
July	\$1.613 $\frac{1}{2}$	\$1.608 $\frac{1}{2}$	\$1.613 $\frac{1}{2}$
Sept	1.603 $\frac{1}{2}$	1.594 $\frac{1}{2}$	1.598 $\frac{1}{2}$
Dec	1.602 $\frac{1}{2}$	1.593 $\frac{1}{2}$	1.60
MAY	1.611 $\frac{1}{2}$	1.602 $\frac{1}{2}$	1.61
ATS—			
July767 $\frac{1}{2}$.76	.768 $\frac{1}{2}$
Sept713 $\frac{1}{2}$.714	.713 $\frac{1}{2}$
Dec713 $\frac{1}{2}$.713	.713 $\frac{1}{2}$

load hogs \$16.00; medium and good hogs \$15.00; mixed \$12.00 to \$15.50; bulk medium and good stocker and feeder steers \$11.50 to \$13.00; choice feeder steers \$14.35 to \$14.65.

Sheep: saleable 7.000; total 9.800; active, killing classes steady to strong; top native spring lambs \$15.85; strong good and choice shipments \$15.50 to \$15.75; common Texas shorn lambs \$8.50 to \$11.00; ewes, good and choice slaughter wags No. 2 and 3 skins \$5.50 to \$7.00; cull and common Arizonas \$4.90.

Chicago Poultry

CHICAGO, May 29.—(P)—(War Food Administration)—Live poultry; young stock steady; old weak; receipts: Cars, 21 trucks; WFA prices FOB New York 24 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢ to 25 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢; Leghorn for


July	1.11½	1.10½	1.10½
Sept	1.11	1.09½	1.10½
Dec	1.12½	1.11½	1.12½
Mar	1.14½	1.13½	1.14
July	1.20	1.19½	1.20
Sept	1.12½	1.11½	1.12

Kansas City Cash Grain
KANSAS CITY, Mo. 29—P—
 Wheat: 35¢ cars, unchanged; No. 2
 soft and hard \$1.62; No. 3, nominal
 61¢ to \$1.68.
 Corn: 77 ¢s.
 Oats: 10 ¢s.
 Rye, nominal \$1.20 to \$1.22.

Saving Specialties

to- used sent hant over from ered	ers 20.25c to 31.7c; roosters 24½c to 31.7c; ducks 27.85c to 32.2c.	The Sadalia, (Mo.) Democrat Monday Evening, May 29, 1944	5
h n ed. r w ere	Chicago Produce CHICAGO, May 29.—(P)—Butter: Firm; receipts 904,542; 33 score AA 41c; 92 score A, 41c; 90 B, 40½c; 89 C, 40½c; cooking 38, 39c; centralized carlots 90, 40½c. EGGS: Receipts 25,053; unsettled; U. S. specials 34c to 34½c; U. S. Extras 34c to 34½c; U. S. standards 31½c to 31½c; current receipts used car 30c to 30½c; dirties 22c to 26½c; checks 21c to 25c.	specials 32.5c to 33.5c; extras 31c to 31.5c; standards 30c; current receipt 28½c to 29c. Eggs quoted 2.6 to 4.00 cents under ceiling on graded eggs and 1.60 to 1.55 under on current receipts of other prices unchanged.	
Gas tins refit ne, lig- iver 37. and m- ex- mar ing	St. Louis Produce ST. LOUIS, May 29.—(P)—Produce: Eggs—U. S. Specials (46 pound average) 33.5c; extras (44 to 45 pound average) 32c; U. S. standards (43 to 44 pound average) 30c; current receipts (43 pound minimum) 27.5c. Poultry: Hens (all weights) colored 22c; Leghorns 21c; roasters (4 pounds and over) 23c; Rocks and colored 29.6c; fryers, (3 to 4 pounds) Rocks and colored 29.6c; broilers, (under 3 pounds) Rocks and colored 29.6c; Leghorns (2 pounds and under) 29.6c; (all weights) 18c; ducks (all weights) white 27.2c; dark 20c; young turkeys (under 18 pounds) 37.1c; 18 to 22 pounds 35.6c; over 22 pounds 34.6c; old (under 18 pounds) 33c; 18 pounds and over 32c. Butter: 93 score 41.2c; 92 score 40.7c; 90 score 40.5c. Butterfat: 47c to 44c. Cheese: Northern Twins and Cheddar 25.5c.	Closing of Leading Stocks	Close Sat. Mon.
od no; dy- rv 15 of r-	Kansas City Produce KANSAS CITY, May 29.—(P)—Eggs: 40c to 90c score 40.5c.	American & For. Power 37½ American Smelt & R. 187½ American Tel. & Tel. 160¼ American Tobacco, B. 61½ Anaconda 26 Atchafson T. & S. F. 66½ Atlas Power 61¼ Aviation Corp. 3¾ Bethlehem Steel 37½ Chrysler Corp. 86½ Coca-Cola 115½ Curtis-Wright A. 5¾ Dunlop Rubber Co. 15½ Eastman Kodak 146¾ General Electric 36¼ General Foods 48 General Motors 59¾ International Harvester 74½ International Shoe 37¾ International Tel. & Tel. 14¼ Kennecott Corp. 31¾ Libbey, Mc N and L 7¾ Liggett and Myers B. 76¾ Lodge-Willes Biscuit 29¼ Mid-Cont. Petroleum 26¼ Missouri-Knox Texas 44 Montgomery Ward 45 Nash-Clevenger 137 National Cash Register 15 North American Co. 18 Packard Motor 44 Pepsi-Cola 49¾	Close Sat. Mon.

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Cities Service, Pf.....	111%	Skelly Oil.....	39%	—
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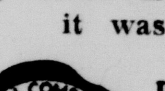
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Society

Sunday Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Baller of Knob Noster, celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary. A family dinner to which all contributed was served at the noon hour.
Mrs. Baller, the former Mary Means, and Mr. Baller were married May 28, 1894 at Lincoln, Mo., by the Rev. Philip Summers. Mr. and Mrs. Baller are members of the Baptist church.
For several years they lived near Green Ridge and near La-Monte.
Their home in Knob Noster was appropriately decorated for the golden wedding observance. Dec-

orated angel food cakes were at each side of the golden bouquet in the center of the table.
Mr. Baller received a gold ring and Mrs. Baller a gold necklace from their six children, all of whom were present with their families: Guy Baller of LaMonte, Earl Baller of Warrensburg, Mrs. J. E. Pittman of Sedalia, Muri and Wayne Baller of Knob Noster and Mrs. Macy Moree of Clinton.
Their eight grandchildren were present and also Mr. Baller's sister, Mrs. Will Hanks and Mr. Hanks of Knob Noster and his niece, Mrs. Sam Creamy and family of Warrensburg.

The Osage Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution met Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. E. Yeater with Mrs. D. T. Abell, Mrs. A. J. Campbell, Miss Nettie Lamm, Mrs. W. H. Powell and Mrs. William Terrell as assisting hostesses.
Mrs. W. L. Layne was elected regent to serve for the next two years. Other officers elected for the same period are: Mrs. Elza Berry, first vice regent; Mrs. Jessie Saunders, second vice regent; Mrs. C. F. Scotten secretary; Mrs. H. P. Vaughan, treasurer; Mrs. Jessie Browneller, registrar; Mrs. W. T. Bishop, historian; Mrs. J. E. Galladay, chaplain; Mrs. Roy Petty, librarian.

The business meeting was called to order by the regent, Mrs. Elza Berry. Prayer was offered by Mrs. W. E. Hurlbut in the absence of the chaplain, Mrs. H. E. Lindstrom.
In the absence of Miss Lelia Shortridge, chairman of the Junior American Citizens club, Mrs. Frank S. Leach, displayed the outstanding scrapbooks made by the different grade and county schools the past year.

Miss Nina Harris, delegate to the national congress held in New York City on April 16 to 21, gave a most interesting report of the week's activities. Miss Maurine Harris, who also attended, told of her impressions.
The program for the afternoon, "Russian Life," brought to a close the series of studies on Russia and its people. Mrs. C. L. Hanley talked on the "Food and Food Supply of Russia." Mrs. P. L. Strole on the "Fur production." Miss Ruth Fults on "Arts and Crafts." Mrs. E. W. Kettleson on "Architecture of Russia." and Mrs. Ruth Riley on "The Education of Russia."

Guests at the meeting were: Mrs. Leon McGilton, of Nashville, Tenn., guest of Mrs. Yeater. Mrs. McGilton is a member of the Fort Nashboro chapter in Nashville; Mrs. Ann Carmack of Bartlesville, Okla., guest of her sister, Mrs. George Bichsel. Mrs. Carmack was a former member of the Osage chapter, Miss Nancy Lee Campbell guest of her mother, Mrs. A. J. Campbell.

During the social hour refreshments were served by the hostesses.
The next meeting of the Osage chapter will be held on June 14 at the home of Mrs. J. I. Whitel for the annual Flag Day program.

Mrs. Eugene Herrick, 1105 West Sixteenth street, entertained at her home Wednesday afternoon in honor of the first birthday anniversary of her daughter, Mary K. The children spent the afternoon playing on the front porch and in the yard. Refreshments were served at a long table which was centered with a candelabra holding three pink candles surrounded with smaller vases containing pansies.
Guests were: Mrs. Virgil Herrick and son Tommy, Mrs. Roy Dawson and son Michael, Mrs. Donald Trueman and daughter Donna Jean, Mrs. Kenneth Anderson and daughter Mary Kay, Mrs. T. O. Herrick and sons Myron and Harvey, Mrs. John Detmer, and Miss Betty Anderson.

The Service Wives club of the U. S. O. will have a dessert luncheon at the home of Mrs. A. R. Beach, 706 South Kentucky avenue, Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.
All members are especially urged to attend this meeting, as pictures will be made for the anniversary celebration.
Those service wives who are newcomers to Sedalia, and who would like to attend are to make reservations by calling number 450.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Cramer, 238 South Harrison avenue, entertained at a dinner Sunday in honor of the sixteenth birthday anniversary of their daughter, Juanita.
Guests were Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Cramer, Sonnie Schumaker, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cramer, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Schumaker and sons, Kenneth and Freddie and daughters, Virginia and Ruby, Mr. and Mrs. George Cramer, Mrs. Mary Burns and sons, Alfred and Bob, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Myers, Virginia Williams and Virginia Giles, all of Sedalia, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Hunt of Houston, Texas and Mrs. Edna Wise of Jefferson City.

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Jr. Legion Wins 11 to 4 From MTS

Will Play Windsor At Liberty Park Sunday, June 4

The Junior American Legion baseball team, sponsored by the Pettis County Post No. 16, turned in another victory Sunday by defeating the Boonville Training School, at Boonville, by a score of 11 to 4.

Gordon Capes led the Sedalia aggregation in hitting, getting four safeties out of five trips to the plate. He also accounted for three of the runs of his team. John's lone hit was a three bagger.

May on the mound for the Legion struck out seven of the Boonville batters and himself accounted for one hit and one run for the afternoon. Thompson made several nice catches while playing in the outfield, besides getting two good hits, and crossed the plate once for a tally.

The only circuit clout was that of Guidon, of the Training School. Criswell led his team in hits getting two out of five times at the plate, and crossed the plate once. Witcherson, pitching for the Training School, fanned but four Legion players.

Next Sunday, June 4, the Windsor ball club which defeated the Legion earlier in the season will come to Sedalia to meet the local team on the Liberty Park diamond.

The box score:
American Legion

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Thomas, ss	6	2	1	0	0	2
Capes, c	5	3	4	0	0	0
Johnson, 1b	5	2	1	1	0	0
Thompson, 1b	5	1	2	0	2	0
May, p	5	1	0	0	0	0
Waters, cf	5	2	1	0	1	1
Tuggle, 3b	5	0	1	1	0	3
Herrick, 2b	5	0	0	1	0	0
Keithley, rf	5	0	1	2	0	0
Subs:						
Harman, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Shoemaker, cf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mehl, if	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	46	11	13	6	2	6

Boonville

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Mug, ss	5	1	0	0	1	2
Criswell, 3b	5	1	2	1	0	1
Hall, c	4	0	0	0	0	0
Guidon, 2b	4	1	1	0	0	0
Bailey, 1b	4	0	1	0	1	0
Beasley, cf	4	1	1	1	0	0
McFarland, rf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Ball, if	4	0	1	1	0	1
Witcherson, p	4	0	1	0	1	0
Total	38	4	8	4	2	5

Score by innings: R H E
Legion.....000 311 204—11 13 6
Boonville...200 001 100—4 8 5

Standings

National League

	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	24	10	.706
Pittsburgh	18	12	.600
Cincinnati	19	14	.576
Philadelphia	14	16	.467
Boston	17	21	.447
Brooklyn	15	19	.441
New York	14	20	.412
Chicago	11	20	.355

American League

	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	20	11	.645
Washington	19	16	.543
St. Louis	20	18	.526
Philadelphia	18	17	.514
Boston	17	18	.486
Detroit	17	20	.459
Cleveland	16	21	.432
Chicago	14	20	.412

Church News

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist church will meet Thursday at 1:30 p. m. in the dining room of the church. The Lamm circle will present the program, and the Swan circle will be hostess for the social hour.

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Nazi Invasion Propaganda in Swing Music

LONDON, May 29.—(P)—The Germans' invasion propaganda has gone in for swing music.
A new hour-long swing program entitled "D-Day Calling" was put on the air by the German radio last night, with the theme song "When D-day Comes" played to the tune of "When Shadows Fall and Day Is Done."

One section was directed especially to American troops by a "master of ceremonies who said — with a midwestern accent — "Howdy, Yanks. This is Fred W. Altenbach talking at you."

This was followed by a black-face skit which apparently was supposed to be funny but which hit a low in vulgarity. It was put on by two characters described as "Midge and Mitch."

Cornet feature was the sobbing by a male crooner of a rendition of "Poor Old Joe" to the tune of "Old Black Joe."

Invasion is Big Topic of Conversation

Service Men Bet On D-Date; Also Joke About Events

By Kenneth L. Dixon
ON THE ITALIAN FRONT, May 21—(Delayed)—(P)—Despite the big offensive going on in this theatre the biggest other subject of conversation and speculation still concerns the possible date of the English channel crossing.

Soldiers have put thousands of dollars in pools and each one is picking a particular date — either by individual choice or by lots. Additional thousands have been put up in personal bets as to whether the invasion will or won't come by a certain date. (Lots of these, incidentally, already have been paid off.)

Rumors fly by the score and these have given birth to a new crop of jokes. In the middle of a conversation a soldier will look craftily around him, then ask if you know what they are going to do if they decide it's too great a risk to cross the channel in boats for the invasion. When you answer that you don't he replies: "Why, they are going to drain it, of course."

Not all reactions are funny, however. Recently Stars and Stripes printed a story saying the news of the Italian offensive was getting a big play in the newspapers back home.

A platoon sergeant just out of the lines read the story and when he finished said:

"So what? They still consider this a second hand theater — a sideshow campaign. They're just interested in us now because the big invasion hasn't come off yet. It's like when the crowd gets set in the stadium for a football game and the visiting team is late. So they send the school band out on the field to pacify them until they can get the game going.
"That's what we are here," he concluded bitterly. "The school band. When the big show starts they'll forget all about us and I'll bet there's been enough soldiers sitting in England all winter to have shoved the Krauts all the way back to the Alps."

In any case the new offensive has been moving much swifter in some sectors than the planners had dared hope. At one time we even had two "lost battalions." They were missing so long everyone began thinking again of the Rangers

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tragedy up on Anzio. But they came up O. K. — They just got so far in front that they hadn't been able to keep up communications!

And a reconnaissance platoon probing far ahead of the main line finally sent back word to the regimental G-2 section that they were not sure just where they were. They messaged by radio that they "run off the end of our map but we're still moving northwest. Can you tell us where we are?"

Soldiers' vote note: In this bivouac area which contains several hundred soldiers not a single one has applied for the papers which must be filled out to permit him to vote this fall and the notice that they can be obtained has been posted for more than a month now.

Strike Settled
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"rebel" strike in Detroit and restoration of operations at Saginaw plants of General Motors which workers had been affected.

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